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Re: Interior Part 417 Review of IID's Water Use

Dear Mr. Macfarlane:

This letter serves to confirm that I spoke with you this afternoon, and that IID will be allowed to make its briefing submittal to the Department of the Interior by sending the brief to you and Ms. Harkins by e-mail this Thursday, May 29. I will also fax you a copy; and, if Ms. Harkins provides me with a fax number, I will do the same for her as well. Thank you for your courtesy and cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours.

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